

## Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA

## § 931.22

### § 931.14 District.

*District* means the applicable one of the following described subdivisions of the production area, or such other subdivisions as may be prescribed pursuant to § 931.31(m):

(a) *Wenatchee District* shall include the counties of King, Chelan, Douglas, Grant, Lincoln, Spokane in the State of Washington, and all other counties in Washington lying north thereof.

(b) *Yakima District* shall include all of the State of Washington not included in the Wenatchee District or in the Hood River-White Salmon District.

(c) *Mid-Columbia District or the Hood River-White Salmon District* shall include those counties in the State of Oregon not included in the Medford District and the counties of Skamania and Klickitat in the State of Washington.

(d) *Medford District* shall include the Counties of Jackson, Josephine, Curry, Coos, Douglas, Lane, and Klamath in the State of Oregon.

### § 931.15 Export.

*Export* means to ship pears to any destination which is not within the 48 contiguous States, or the District of Columbia of the United States.

### § 931.16 Pack.

*Pack* means the specific arrangement, size, weight, count, or grade of a quantity of pears in a particular type and size of container, or any combination thereof.

### § 931.17 Container.

*Container* means a box, bag, crate, lug, basket, carton, package, or any other type of receptacle used in the packaging or handling of pears.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE BODY

### § 931.20 Establishment and membership.

There is hereby established a Northwest Fresh Bartlett Pear Marketing Committee consisting of fourteen (14) members, each of whom shall have an alternate who shall have the same qualifications as the member for whom his is an alternate. Eight (8) of the members and their respective alternates shall be growers or officers or employees of growers. Six (6) of the

members and their respective alternates shall be handlers or officers or employees of handlers. Each district shall be represented on the committee by two (2) grower members and their respective alternates who are producers of pears in such districts. The Yakima and Medford Districts shall each be represented on the committee by two (2) handler members and the Wenatchee and Mid-Columbia Districts each by one (1) handler member who are handlers of pears in the respective district.

### § 931.21 Term of office.

The term of office of each member and alternate member of the committee shall be for two years beginning July 1 and ending June 30: *Provided*, That the term of office of one-half of the initial grower members and alternates and one-half of the initial handler members and alternates from the Yakima and Medford Districts and the handler member and alternate from the Wenatchee District shall end June 30, 1966. Members and alternate members shall serve in such capacities for the portion of the term of office for which they are selected and have qualified and until their respective successors are selected and have qualified.

### § 931.22 Nomination.

(a) *Initial members*. Nominations for each of the initial members of the committee, together with nominations for the initial alternate members for each position, may be submitted to the Secretary by individual growers and handlers. Such nominations may be made by means of separate group meetings of the growers and handlers concerned in each district, which shall be publicized and open to all growers and handlers. Such nominations, if made, shall be filed with the Secretary no later than the effective date of this part. In the event nominations for initial members and alternate members of the committee are not filed pursuant to, and within the time specified in this section, the Secretary may select such initial members and alternate members without regard to nominations, but selections shall be on the basis of the representation provided for in § 931.20.